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Applicant: Nikolaos Soukos et al. Art Unit: 3734

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## PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated November 7, 2006, be extended for one month to and including March 7, 2007.

The required extension fee in the amount of \$60 is being submitted herewith via EFS by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 20, 200 3

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